

Attention all 10th Graders
It's time to get serious...



What we recommend...

- **Recommended Course of Study for Admission to Four Year Colleges**
 - 4 Years of English
 - 2-3 Years of Laboratory Science
 - 4 Years of Mathematics (Including Algebra II/Trig/Stats in some form)
 - 3.5 Years of Social Studies
 - 3 Years of the same World Language
- **Recommended Course of Study for Admission to *Highly Competitive Colleges***
 - 4 Years of English
 - 3-4 Years of Laboratory Science
 - 4 Years of Mathematics (Including Calculus)
 - 4 Years of Social Studies
 - 4 Years of the same World Language



TRANSCRIPT

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 Last Date Attended: 6/22/2012

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	Final Grade			Final Grade
10-11 Colchester High School				
363 American Experience	A+	2		
130 Biology	A	1		
570 Business and Technology 1	A	0.5		
573 Business and Technology 2	A	0.5		
505 French 2	B+	1		
260 Geometry	A	1		
740 Physical Education 2	A	0.5		
660 Pottery 1	A-	0.5		
09-10 Colchester High School				
245 Algebra 1	A+	1		
644 Art 1	A	0.5		
110 Earth System Science	A	1		
500 French 1	A-	1		
750 Human Ecology	A	0.5		
735 Physical Education 1	A+	0.5		
740 Physical Education 2	A	0.5		
314 Thinkers and Revolutionaries	A	2		
Latin Honor System Summa Cum Laude GPA: 4.1-4.33 Magna Cum Laude GPA: 3.8-4.09 Cum Laude GPA: 3.5-3.79				

Not lovin' your transcript?
 Now is the time to work on
 raising that GPA!

Total Units Earned: 14.00
 Cumulative GPA: 3.999
 GPA is based on a 4.33 scale

Lowest passing mark is a 60. We do not weight grades.

 SIGNATURE DATE
 Not Official Unless Sealed

THE CHOICES YOU MAKE NOW IMPACT LIFE DURING AND AFTER HS:

Before you graduate:

- Can't get course in 12th because you missed the pre-requisite course (AP Calculus or AP Physics)
- Fitting in electives that you want (Band, Chorus) or even study halls (limited because of other courses you need)
- Your grades could =
 - Free ski pass (3 out of 4 quarters get straight A's = Sugarbush)
 - Subaru/Hyundai giveaway
 - Car insurance savings, etc.

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After you graduate.

- Ex.: UConn Nursing and Physics
- Grades = CASH (Ex.: GPA misses the mark for Financial Aid)
- Ex.: Math and science grades not strong enough for Engineering, Nursing, etc.
- Grades miss the admission mark (limited admission options)

Academic Supports at School

- BE PROACTIVE
- Math Center- Before school, After school, during lunches and study halls, book for AT
- Homework Club- 7-7:40 every day in room 150
- Writer's Workshop



Reminder of Academic Supports at School (continued)

- Teachers- Make plans to meet before school, after school, during lunch or study halls, book for AT, use their websites.
- Kahn Academy- online resource
- Peer Tutor- 1 day a week during AT (based on availability- see your counselor for more info)
- Use AT wisely

PLAN, PLAN, PLAN

Use AT registration time to PLAN AHEAD

- Program of Studies and pre-recs
- Transcript/4 year plan
- See Counselor with Questions
- Talk to teachers in area of interest—what is their advice?



Seek out opportunities to find out more about REAL jobs:

- Network: friends, families, acquaintances may allow you to shadow/intern
- Research: Use Naviance
- Look at job trends....what jobs will be in demand?
- Talk to people about their jobs...what is their education?
- Personalized Learning Plan board
- Sign up for the TIPS program for next year

SO WHAT can I DO NOW??????

Explore interests and opportunities!

Governor's Institutes of Vermont (Main Office) www.giv.org

MedQuest and A Day in the Life (Guidance) www.cvahec.org

Applications due March 10th, 2017

Introduction to College Studies/Dual Enrollment (Guidance)

Virtual High School courses www.govhs.org

Volunteer Opportunities (Guidance) www.unitedwaycc.org

All these resources and more are available at

<http://home.csdvt.org/chs/main/guidance/guidance.php>

Even more to do!

- Summer academy UVM
- Dual Enrollment
- VTC Camps (2017)
- ***Rosie's Girls STEM Leadership Camps***: June 19-23 or July 10-14
- *(overnight camps - for students who identify as female and are entering 9th -10th grades with follow-on mentorships - Randolph Center Campus)*
- ***Coder Camp*** for student identifying as female: July 17-21
- *(day camp - for students identifying as female entering 8th-10th grades – and mentorships -Williston Campus)*
- ***AeroCamp***: July 24-28
- *(day camp – any gender- ages 12-18 - Williston Campus)*